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Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the second full paragraph of page 10, lines 15-21, with the following amended paragraph:

In another embodiment of the invention, the PLANET code can also be added to the mail piece by server software. Armed with ~~the~~ both the FIM E and/or Void ZIP barcode and the PLANET code, the USPS can automatically collect data as to exactly when a Voided PC Postage mail piece was attempted to be processed, and who was the sender. This can further reduce human intensive manual processing.

Please replace the paragraph bridging page 10, line 22 to page 11, line 8, with the following amended paragraph:

Turning to FIG. 8, a flowchart of the method of the invention is shown. In a first step 100, a user selects “Print Postage” on Client Software. Next, the user enters a valid delivery address 102, and then selects type of mail piece, weight of mail piece, mail class, attributes, and special services 104. The user will then verify and accept ~~address~~-a possible modified address 106. Next, the user will be asked to select a print on medium button 108, which will ~~be all the user to~~ either print a sample or actual mail piece. If the user chooses to print a sample, the user will select a print sample button 110 and will then select a paper feed 114 112 (if not already defaulted). The software and printer will draw a FIM E mark and/or unique POSTNET barcode and/or PLANETNET code and “Void” on the indicia 114. Last, the voided sample will be printed in step 116. If the user wishes to print postage for an actual mail piece, the user will select the SELECT “PRINT POSTAGE” 118, and then select the paper feed 120 (if not already defaulted). The software and printer will then draw a valid indicia and FIM A~C mark, and a valid POSTNET barcode and/or a valid PLANETNET code in step 122. Lastly, in step 124, a valid indicia and selected FIM A~C mark will be printed on the mail piece.